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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

F. L. Lynde, general passenger agent of the St. J. & G. I. division of the Union Pacific railway, made the COURIER a pleasant call last evening. Mr. Lynde paid Lincoln many compliments and says it is the most beautiful city on his entire system of roads, and he ought to know.

And now Dame Rumor has it that a prominent O street hardware man will soon wade into the matrimonial swim. The fair damsel's name is given in this item, but "for goodness sakes don't say we told you." Do you see it?

F. W. Kruse, receiver of the Hart Hardware company, was in Omaha Thursday on business connected with the settling of the affairs of the company. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Jennie, and their visitor, Miss Ella Bowles.

Fred Thomas is seen no more walking the thoroughfares apparently forlorn and forsaken. His family returned Saturday from Illinois where they have been visiting in and about the old home for nearly two months.

Rev. Dr. Marine, who died in this city a few days ago held a policy for \$1000 in the Union Central Life Insurance company of Cincinnati, Ohio. This claim was paid in full August 7th by J. M. Edmiston, state agent.

Miss Clara Goldberg, Mrs. David Wise's accomplished sister of Chicago, arrived Thursday and will visit, a few weeks in the city. Mrs. Wise, who had been visiting at Chicago and further east, returned also.

By referring to the "Absence" column it will be seen that Lincoln was pretty well represented in Boston last week. There were many others of course whose names we were unable to get.

Rev. C. W. Greene, who for the past eight years has been in Japan as a missionary, is in the city accompanied by his family. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Baker.

John Partington and family and Mrs. James Partington and family left for New York City last Wednesday. From there they will sail for Queenstown on the Etruria today.

Mrs. C. A. Goldsmith of Omaha, is visiting in Lincoln, the guest of Mrs. M. S. Kent and renewing acquaintances made on former visits to the capital city.

Peter Anderson and William Witte left Lincoln last Tuesday for a month's trip through Utah, Idaho, Oregon and along the Pacific slope.

Mrs. M. Ryan and Miss Mollie Ryan returned to their home in St. Louis last Wednesday after a pleasant visit with Mrs. B. J. Kennedy.

Eli Plummer and W. W. Marsh went to Spirit Lake Wednesday to assist the Lincolns already there, in yanking out the festive fish.

Miss Anna Bushnell of Ripon, Wis., who has been visiting friends in the city the past month left for home last Sunday evening.

S. H. Brown of the B. & M. dispatcher's office has returned after a several weeks' pleasant sojourn in Denver.

A party of young people chartered by Mrs. Coffroth will go down to Crete Wednesday for a ten days' picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shipman of Omaha were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans last Sunday.

Mrs. Charles E. Burton and son have returned home after a visit of some length at Akron, Ohio.

Supt. C. E. Yates and Hon. R. H. Oakley left this city Thursday to join their families at Maniton.

Mrs. J. H. Corrick returned home Tuesday after an enjoyable visit at Ottumwa, Iowa.

Mr. S. M. Melick and wife returned Wednesday from their stay at Spirit Lake.

C. E. Mageon returned Thursday from a short sojourn at Lake Minnetonka, Minn.

Wm. Baker and E. G. Watson of Friend, were among the Lincoln callers this week.

Monday night was an unusual one for Lincoln in the matter of births and deaths.

Miss Myrtle Mann left the city Thursday for a visit with friends in Plattsmouth.

Horace Holbrook was a B. & M. passenger Thursday bound for Salem, Oregon.

Charles Hammond wended his way to Salt Lake City the fore part of the week.

Mr. E. H. and Miss Lottie Grist went to Hot Springs, S. D., last Wednesday.

Henry Royer and wife went to Rica yesterday to visit relatives for a week.

M. W. Folsom was a Burlington passenger Wednesday on his way to Chicago.

Dr. Holyoke and wife have returned from a week's visit with friends in Iowa.

Mrs. T. E. Thomas has returned from a several months' stay at Lacon, Ill.

Col. E. D. Welster of Stratton, was in the city several days during the week.

Miss Ada Heaton went to Ashland Thursday to visit friends for a short time.

Hon. John C. Watson of Nebraska City, was a Lincoln visitor this week.

Eugene Heaton left for Albany, N. Y., last Sunday for an indefinite stay.

County Attorney Stearns and wife went to Monmouth, Ill., Thursday.

W. M. Hook went to Rochester, N. Y., last Tuesday on a business trip.

Hon. John A. Dempster, of Geneva, was in Lincoln during the week.

T. F. Barnes went to Washington, D. C., last Sunday on business.

Dr. Winnett and wife are enjoying a summer vacation at Denver.

J. D. Wadsworth and wife went to Denver last Thursday morning.

H. E. Bailey went to Chicago last Tuesday on a business trip.

C. C. Munson was in Kansas City a few days this week.

Mrs. Lewis A. Bowers is visiting at Portland, Oregon.

Truman Libby went to Minneapolis, Minn., last Monday.

H. H. Branch went to Quincy, Ill., Wednesday.

Miss Cora Outcalt left Monday for New York City.

E. L. Vickars was in Newcastle a few days this week.

Mrs. A. K. Alter is visiting at Rock Island Illinois.

A. Abbott was in Des Moines this week.

Wm. Lefferdink is in St. Paul, Minn.

E. M. Long is in Denver.

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In order to serve the convenience of its patrons who may wish to use the "want" columns of the Journal the COURIER office will receive such advertisements at the regular rates and transmit them to the Journal.

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